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In Court

In Prince Edward circuit court last week, Rock Jones and his brother, negroes, charged jointly with a holdup and robbery in the store of Crute & Turnes, in Prospect district, were tried, the trial resulting in a hung jury. W. C. Franklin, of Pamplin, appeared for the defense. On the same day the jury found Wesley Payne guilty on a prohibition charge, and he was given six months in jail and a fine of $50.

Appomattox Park

The advisability of commemorating the place of surrender of General Robert E. Lee at Appomattox Courthouse is now being considered by a board of army officers, it was announced at the War Department today.

The commission investigated the desirability of commemorating the spot where Lee surrendered to General U. S. Grant, under authority of an act of Congress approved February 15, 1926, but Congress has taken no action on the commission's report.

The War Department, however, under the general authority to study and investigate battlefields in the United States for commemorating purposes, provided in an act of Congress approved June 11, 1926, has appointed a board of officers to make a further study.

Upon completion of this study, a report will be submitted to Congress.

Congressional Primary

At a regularly called meeting of the Democratic Committee of the Tenth Congressional District, which met at the Carroll Hotel in Lynchburg, Virginia, on Saturday, April 14, 1928, for the purpose of determining the time and method of nominating a Democratic candidate for Congress in said District, the following resolution was offered and unanimously adopted:

Be it resolved by the Democratic Committee of the Tenth Congressional District that the candidate of the Democratic Party for representative in the Congress of the United States to be voted upon in the general election to be held in November, 1928, from the Tenth Congressional District shall be selected at a Democratic Primary to be held in the several counties and cities of the Tenth District on the first Tuesday in August, 1928.

It is further resolved that all who desire to qualify as candidates shall file with the Chairman of this Committee proper notice and declaration of candidacy as required by sections 229 and 230 of the code of Virginia, which notice shall be filed as aforesaid at least sixty days before the Primary election.

Be it further resolved that if within the time prescribed by law only one declaration of candidacy is filed for the office before mentioned the individual so filing his notice and declaration shall be declared the party nominee, and no primary shall be held.

And be it further resolved that the Chairman and Secretary of this committee be directed to forward a certified copy of this resolution to the Secretary of the Commonwealth in the event more than one candidate shall qualify, within the time prescribed and the necessity for holding a primary election be created.

11,000,000 Blooming Apple Trees

The fifth annual inter-state Shenandoah Apple Blossom Festival will be held at Winchester Thursday and Friday, May 3 and 4, it was announced to-day by Ray Robinson, director-general.

Gov. Harry F. Byrd, of Virginia, and his military staff will fly from Richmond to the festival in army blimps. A sister plane of Lindberg's Spirit of St. Louis will be flown by Lieut. Erle Seabock, Canadian World War flying ace, while the United States Army will be represented by several 650-foot sausage balloons.

Electrical illumination on a scale never before undertaken will be a night feature, with half a dozen spotlights of high power sending shafts of light into the skies along with specially constructed fireworks. Two nights are given over to dancing and general frolicing on gaily decorated streets.

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Salvage Work Being Carried on a Scapa Flow.

London.—Salvage work said to be unique in engineering history is being carried on at Scapa Flow by Cox & Shanke, who, having already raised 26 destroyers of the German fleet, are now engaged in the gigantic task of floating the battleship Seydlitz.

The Seydlitz lay upon her side. To turn her over and raise her upright it has been estimated would have cost more than $900,000—too much to show a profit on the transaction. The salvage engineers, therefore, have worked out a plan to float the huge ship, weighing 25,000 tons and having a length of 656 feet, on her side and to tow her in this position to the breaking-up depot six miles away. She lay at a depth of more than eighty feet. Mr. Cox, describing the method of operation, said:

"We work by pumping compressed air into the ship and at the same time filling up with concrete one by one the openings through which the air escapes. The biggest opening we have filled so far measures 44 by 6 feet, and required ten tons of concrete."

The raising of the whole German fleet, he said, would "probably be more than a life's work for most of us now engaged on it."

Organize Paris Body to Fight Fake Guides

Paris.—Determined to rid the Paris boulevards, museums and other public places where tourists gather of the noxious so-called "guides" who pester foreigners, a group of professional couriers and guides have organized the "Interpreters' club" with well-defined aims. The principal object of the society is to prevent anybody exercising the profession of guide without a permit delivered by the police department after an examination of his capabilities and production of serious references.

Complaints have frequently been made by tourists of overcharging in stores, visits to questionable resorts and even regular holdups, for which swarthy, oily individuals encountered in front of the big hotels in the evening are mainly responsible. The police department issued an order two years ago that all guides should be in possession of a permit, but this has fallen into abeyance.

"Guide-Interpreters" on the tourist autocars have been heard telling travelers that under the immense column in the Place Vendome, which was constructed by Napoleon, lies buried Marshal Petain, who is still very much alive. Another explained to a group of Americans visiting Malmaison, the palace where the Empress Josephine spent her last days, that Mme. Malmaison was the mother of Nepoleon III.

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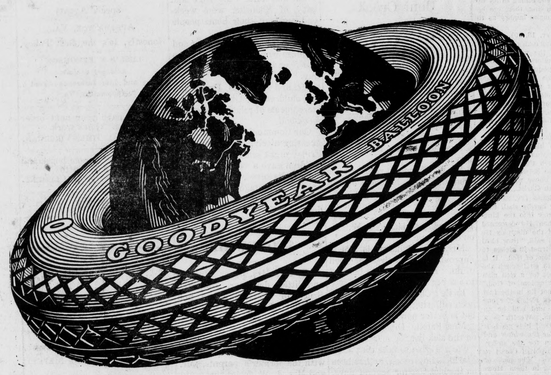

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Miami, Okla.—Indians in whose veins course the blood of a white man, who, when captured by the Senecas 150 years ago, persuaded them to spare him and his sister from the scalping knife and later married their chief's daughter, will attend a family reunion of the sister's descendants.

William Spicer and his sister, Elizabeth, were taken prisoners by the Indians June 4, 1778, in the Great Lakes region. The sister was freed through her brother's diplomacy eighteen months later and subsequently married a white man, Thomas Bowen. Spicer remained with the Indians, marrying the daughter of the chief, and later succeeding him as the head of the tribe.

Descendants of Thomas and Elizabeth Bowen will hold a reunion at Davistown, Pa., in August, and they have invited fifty members of the Seneca tribe who are descendants of Bowen's brother.

Fine 20 Million Forest Fire Yearly on South

Washington.—Col. William B. Greeley, chief of the United States forest service, declares the South is responsible for the burning yearly of about 20,000,000 acres of forest and cut-over land, or about four-fifths of the total forest area burned in the United States.

This represents a loss of money running into many millions of dollars, he says, adding that a prosperous South must have productive forest and range lands, which it cannot have until burning woodlands is stopped.

Must Keep Name

Harrisburg, Pa.—Punxsutawn it is, and Punxsutawn it will continue to be. An appeal to the state geographical board to have the name changed to Marionville has been denied.

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